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**PATENT**

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**SECOND SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT  
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Sir:

In accordance with the duty of candor and good faith imposed by 37 C.F.R. §1.56, the references listed on the attached Form PTO/SB/08a (01-10) are made of record in the above-identified patent application.

Each item of information set forth in the attached Form PTO/SB/08a (01-10) was cited in the enclosed copy of the Taiwan IPO Search Report corresponding to Applicant's Taiwan Patent Application No. 092134587.

Applicants have reviewed the cited references and determined that they are not material to the patentability of any pending claim. In particular, the enclosed copy of the Taiwan IPO Search Report cites Klomp, U.S. Pat. No. 3,722,074, which is already of record in the present application. Additionally, U.S. Patent Nos. 3,701,921 and 4,946,090 were cited as being only of background relevance to claims 1-55 of the Taiwan application. As these references have been determined to be cumulative to the prior art of record and/or immaterial to the present claims, they are not deemed to adversely affect the patentability of the claims.

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Applicant does not believe that any fees are due in connection with this submission. However, if such petition is due or any other fees are necessary, the Commissioner may consider this to be a request for such and charge any necessary fees to Deposit Account No. 23-3000.

Respectfully submitted,

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